LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO SRIYUTHS: S.B. PADAKI, K.M. NAGANNA AND B. V. KAKKILAYA AND SMT. MANORAMA MADHAVARAJ—GRANT OF.—

2-00 P. M.

MADAM SPEAKER.—I have received letters from Sriyuths : S. B. Padaki, K. M. Naganna and B. V. Kakkilaya, members of the House requesting for leave of absence from the current sittings of the Legislative Assembly due to ill-health.

I have also received a letter from Smt. Manorama Madhvaraj, Member of the House requesting for leave of absence from the current sittings of the Legislative Assembly due to private work.

Is it the pleasure of the House that permission be granted to Sriyuths : S. B. Padaki, K. M. Naganna, B. V. Kakkilaya and Smt. Manorama Madhvaraj ?

HON'BLE MEMBERS.—Yes.

MADAM SPEAKER.—Permission to remain absent is granted.

PANEL OF CHAIRMEN

MADAM SPEAKER.—Under Rule 9 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Legislative Assembly, I nominate the following Hon'ble Members to the panel of Chairmen for the Current Session.

(1) Smt. Winnifred F. Fernandes
(2) Sri N. B. Sirdesai
(3) Sri S. M. Sheernaly Chandrasekhar
(4) Sri T. M. Manjunath.

CALLING ATTENTION TO MATTERS OF URGENT PUBLIC IMPORTANCE.

(*i*) *re* : *Alleged irregularities Committed by officials of P. W. D. Hassan Division*

SRI H. T. Krishnappa (Nagamangala).—I call the attention of the Minister for Public Works and Electricity to the alleged irregularities committed by the officials of Public Works Department, Hassan Division, while making the payment of he bills, in respect of the works throughout Hassan District.